

# Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

*Washington, D. C.,* January 18, 1887.

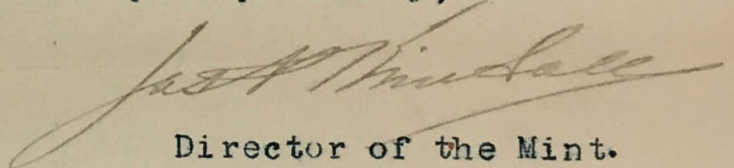
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Very respectfully,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "John M. Wallace".

Director of the Mint.

Hon. Daniel M. Fox,

Superintendent U.S. Mint,

Philadelphia.

Treas'y Dept  
Washington D.C.

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James P. Kimball  
Director.

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